

Visitor Information

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George Visitor Center

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Soap Lake Chamber

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Mattawa City Hall

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Moses Lake Area Chamber

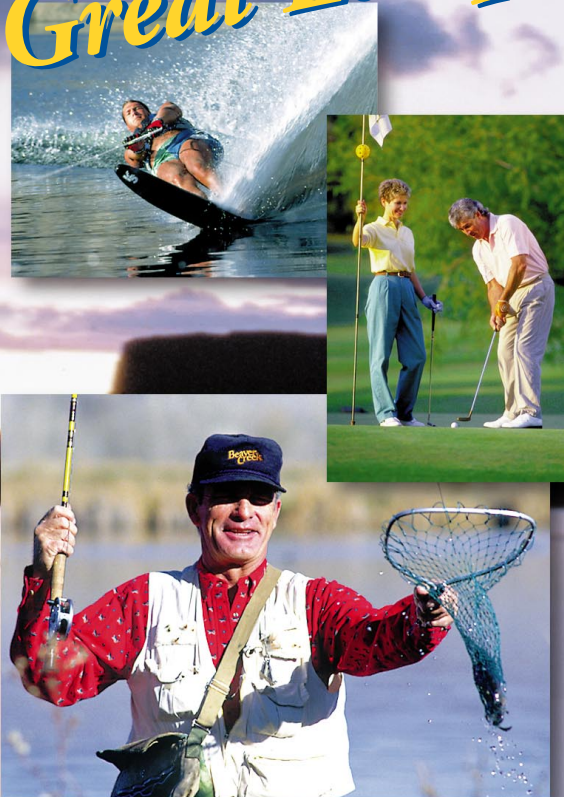
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Grant County "Fast Facts"

- Coulee City is the oldest town in Grant County and was a regular stop on the Caribou Trail.
- The Grant County Courthouse, built in 1917, is heated geothermally with water from a local hot spring.
- Grand Coulee Dam is the largest all concrete structure on earth.
- Farms near Warden claim the nation's highest potato yield per acre.
- In the early 1900s, Wilson Creek's power company only operated from sunset to midnight. A farsighted manager offered power on Tuesday afternoons so housewives could do their ironing.
- Grant County was named for President Ulysses S. Grant. Grant County is the fourth largest county in Washington State.
- The Grant County International Airport's main runway of 13,500 feet is considered the second longest runway west of the Mississippi, and the fourth busiest airport in the state.

GRANT COUNTY

Washington's Great Escape



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Grant County Recreation Map

1 Grand Coulee Dam, Steamboat Rock State Park.

Great fishing, camping, picnic sites. Fascinating tour of one of the world's largest hydroelectric projects, irrigation water storage for million-acre Columbia Basin Project.

2 Dry Falls, Sun Lakes State Park Recreation Area. Ice Age rerouting of Columbia River gouged huge channels now called Grand Coulee and Dry Falls. Be sure to visit the Interpretive Center at Dry Falls.

3 Summer Falls State Park. Irrigation water pours over basalt cliffs into Billy Clapp/Long Lake. Picnic sites, day use.

4 Lake Lenore Indian Caves. Caves formed by the plucking of basalt from the walls of the coulees by the rush of melt waters. They were later used as shelters by prehistoric man.

5 Soap Lake. Long ago local Indians called Soap Lake, "Smokiam," which means "healing waters." Sixteen chemicals make up the mineral content of the lake water.

6 Grant County Historical Museum in Ephrata. There are over 28 buildings providing the opportunity to experience pioneer life in early Grant County.

7 Moses Lake. This city offers accommodations and services as well as a Farmers Market, Family Aquatic Center and free summertime entertainment at a lake side Amphitheater.

8 Potholes Recreation Area. Home to 25,000 acres of water and sand dunes. Fish, swim, water ski, camp and relax under a friendly sun. Boat rentals available.

9 Columbia National Wildlife Refuge. Spectacular wildlife/bird viewing in season. Scenic mixture of rugged cliffs, canyons, lakes and sagebrush grassland offers wonderful photography opportunities.

10 Quincy Lakes. To the west, between Quincy and George, visit Grant County's best kept secret "the other Dry Falls" and the Ancient Lakes region. Nearby is "The Gorge", a natural amphitheater.

11 "Grandfather Cuts Loose the Ponies." This embodies the free spirit of the Northwest. Sculptured wild horses thunder across the horizon, commemorating the "Great Spirits" gift of freedom.

12 Wanupum Dam. Interpretive Center provides insight into Indian, trapper, soldier, miner and rancher life of early 19th century. Steamboating diorama, fish viewing, and a petroglyph display are other attractions.



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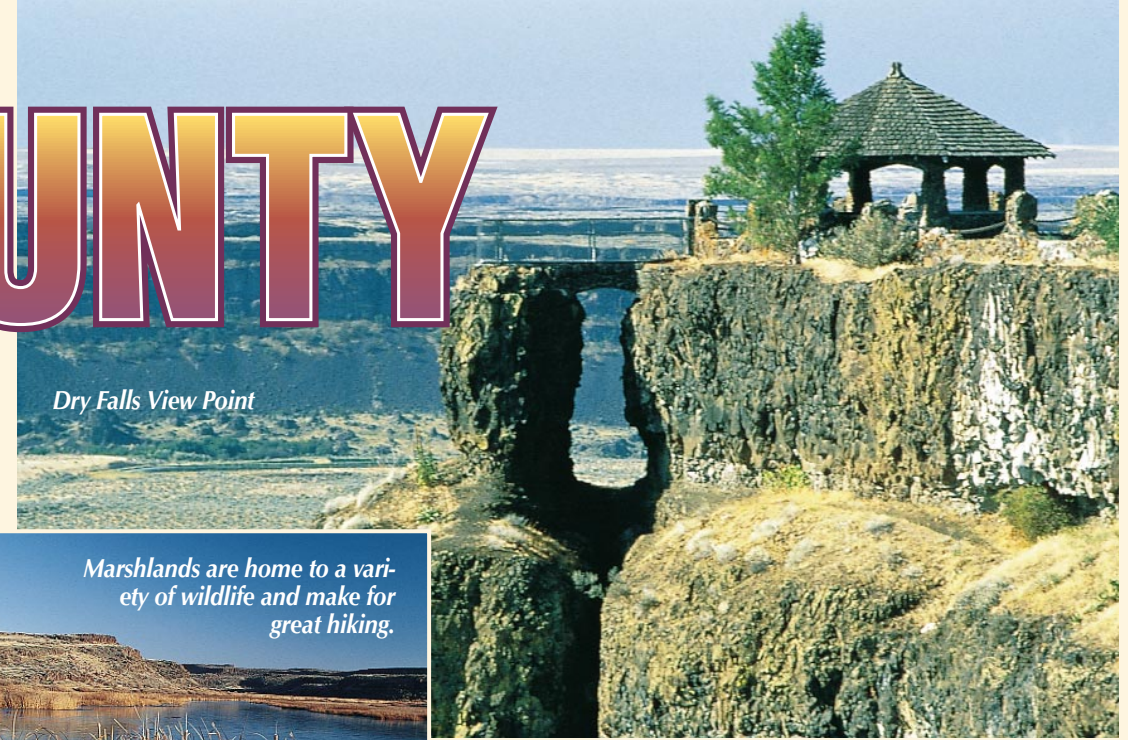
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Moses Lake Family Aquatic Center

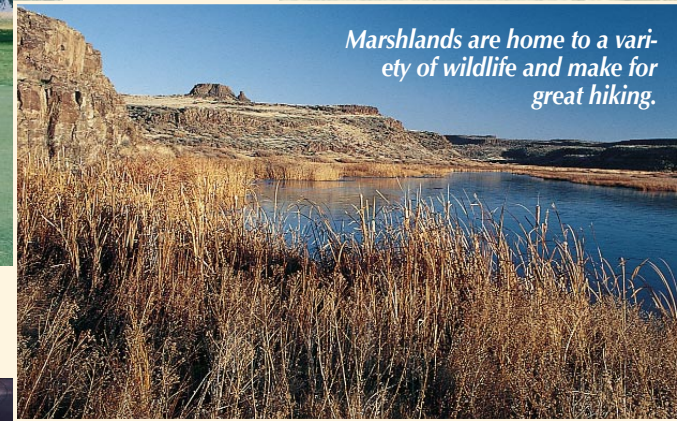


Great golfing

Dry Falls View Point



Marshlands are home to a variety of wildlife and make for great hiking.



Moses Lake water sports



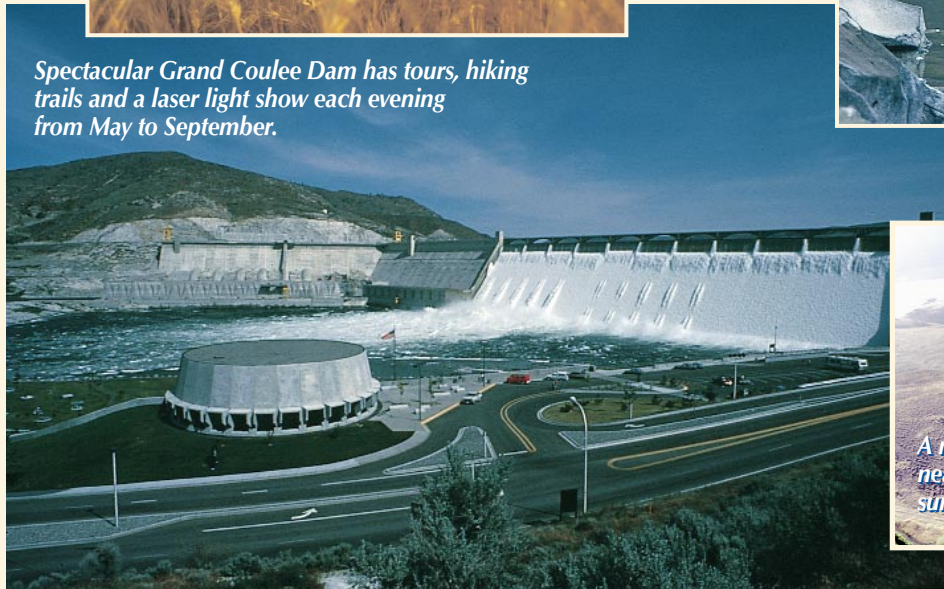
Rich farmlands

Fishing at Lake Lenore



Water skiing in Grant County

Spectacular Grand Coulee Dam has tours, hiking trails and a laser light show each evening from May to September.



A natural amphitheater, "The Gorge" near George is the setting for premier summertime entertainment.



A sunset on Potholes Reservoir

